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## AFRL awards \$1.3M contract for electronic signal processing

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*ROME, N.Y.* — The Air Force Research Laboratory's Information Directorate has awarded a \$1,378,079, three-year contract to Research Associates of Syracuse, East Syracuse, to enhance electronic signal processing.

"The contract calls for delivery of a demonstration and an advanced development model of an enhanced electronic intelligence (ELINT) processor," said John H. Pletl, program man-

ager in the directorate's Information and Intelligence Exploitation Division.

"The goal of our research is to make the computerized process even more automatic," said Pletl. "By using intelligent agent software, we should be able to process data in a more timely and efficient manner. This technology would also allow us to intelligently focus on specific 'targets of interest' rather than across the broad spectrum of electronic signals." @